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Title : The Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office and Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievences and Pensions laid the statement regarding status of implementation of recommendations contained in 183rd and 191st Reports of Standing Committee on Science and Technology, Environment and Forests on Demands for Grants (2007-2008 and 2008-2009, respectively), pertaining to the Department of Atomic Energy.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI PRITHVIRAJ CHAVAN): I beg to lay the following Statements:

The Department had received the 183rd report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Science & Technology, Environment and Forests (Rajya Sabha) on Action taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in the 176th Report of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2007-08). The report had been forwarded to the concerned authorities in the Department for implementation.

The Department had received the 191st Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Science and Technology, Environment and Forests (Rajya Sabha) on Demands for Grants (2008-09) pertaining to DAE in February-March, 2008. Action Taken Report on the recommendations of the Committee was furnished by Department of Atomic Energy (DAE) *vide* Note No. 1/2(2)/2008-Budget/169 dated 22.07.2008 to Rajya Sabha Secretariat.

With your permission, I would like to lay a copy of the same on the Table of the Lok Sabha.

* Laid on the Table and also placed in Library, See No. LT-10046/2008